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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Rueben Matalon et al.

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EXAMINER: Gabriele E. Bugaisky

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FOR:

APARTOACYLASE GENE, PROTEIN, AND METHODS OF SCREENING FOR MUTATIONS

ASSOCIATED WITH CANAVAN DISEASE

## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required. 

Applicant(s) is/are entitled to small entity status.  $\boxtimes$ 

 $\boxtimes$ Additional documents filed herewith: Petition for Extension of Time (Two-months)

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CLAIMS	CLAIMS REMAINING		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	NO. OF EXTRA CLAIMS		RATE	CALCULATIONS
TOTAL	26	MINUS	20	6	х	\$18 =	\$108.00
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	TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS						\$988.00
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